## House Resolution No. 2498

Whereas, it is with special pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize an outstanding Missouri citizen who has brought great commitment and steadfast dedication to the teaching profession; and

Whereas, Emily Sue Bell, an esteemed resident of Rolla, Missouri, will officially retire from the Sullivan C-2 School District on June 30, 2003, after a successful career that has spanned twenty-six years; and

Whereas, Emily Sue Bell has played an integral role in the educational development of countless youngsters as a Guidance Counselor at Sullivan Primary School, prior to which time she served the District as an LD Teacher and Guidance Counselor at Sullivan Middle School; and

Whereas, throughout her impressive tenure at Sullivan Primary School, Emily Sue Bell has greatly enjoyed watching as her students have grown to become successful, prosperous adults; and

Whereas, a former educator with the Parkway School District and Arapattoe County School District, Emily Sue Bell has maintained the firm belief that a quality education is necessary for success in today's society and has continually worked to provide her students with the skills and knowledge upon which they will build throughout their academic careers; and

Whereas, Emily Sue Bell is an invaluable member of her community where she has compiled an enviable list of service to such important organizations as the CSIP Team, Child Study Team, Sullivan Teachers Association, South Central Counselors Association, and the Missouri School Counselors Association; and

Whereas, Emily Sue Bell looks forward to her much-deserved retirement so that she can spend more time in the company of her wonderful family which includes her sister, Janet Estill; her brother, Larry Bell; her nephew, Jeff Estill; and her niece, Jennifer Ferguson; and

Whereas, it is entirely fitting and proper that this legislative body should pay tribute to Emily Sue Bell, a remarkable individual and stellar educator who will be greatly missed by all those who had the distinct pleasure of knowing and working with her:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, unanimously join in expressing our utmost appreciation to Emily Sue Bell for her twenty-six years of unparalleled service to the Sullivan C-2 School District and to the education of Missouri's youngest citizens, and in wishing her the long, rewarding, and enjoyable retirement she so richly deserves; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Emily Sue Bell.

Offered by	<del></del>
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I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 2498, adopted May 6, 2003.

Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker